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SUBJ: VESCO DEPARTURE FROM COSTA RICA

1. ORIS RUSSELL, PERMANENT SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL
AFFAIRS IN CONVERSATION WITH EMBASSY OFFICER AT 12 NOON TODAY
SAID GCOB HAD NO DIRECT EVIDENCE THAT VESCO IS IN OR INTENDS
TO COME TO THE BAHAMAS.

2. NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT ALAN RIDING (BASED IN MEXICO
CITY) INDICATED TO EMBOFF 1500 HOURS TODAY THAT HE WAS
CONVINCED THAT VESCO WAS IN OR IS ON HIS WAY TO THE BAHAMAS.
RIDING SAID HE HAD SPENT TWO DAYS CHECKING WITH BAHAMAS
IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS OFFICIALS IN NASSAU AND FREEPORT -
NONE OF WHOM WERE ABLE TO VERIFY VESCO'S ARRIVAL IN THE BAHAMAS.
RIDING ALSO SAID THAT ARTHUR BARNETT, PS, MINISTRY OF HOME
AFFAIRS, HAD ADVISED HIM THIS AFTERNOON THAT BARNETT'S
MINISTRY'S CHECK OF BAHAMAS IMMIGRATION ARRIVALS CARDS FOR THE
WEEKEND (MAY 5, 6 AND 7) FOR VERIFICATION OF VESCO'S POSSIBLE
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ENTRY INTO THE BAHAMAS HAD PROVED NEGATIVE.

3. WE WILL ADVISE IF ANY SUBSTANTIVE INFORMATION ON VESCO'S
WHEREABOUTS IS RECEIVED OR BROUGHT TO THE EMBASSY'S ATTENTION.
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